



THE FLATCOATED RETRIEVER SOCIETY

affiliated to the Kennel Club, the Field Trials Liaison Council, the BASC, the NGO,
and the International Gundog League Retriever Society

The Shirley Radburn National Working Tests for Flatcoated Retrievers
(Held under the rules and regulations of the Kennel Club and the FCRS)

Novice and Open Working Tests to be held

On Saturday 31st May 2025

At Batsford Arboretum, Moreton-in-Marsh, by kind permission of Lord and Lady Dulverton.

Meet 9.00 for 09.30 (Open not before 1pm)

Judges: Phil Bruton A2718, Ricky Moloney B2783, Kate Smith B3097 and Jennifer Thomas NP.

Chief Steward: Sarah Young

Definitions:

Novice: for dogs that have not gained an award or COM at a field trial, been placed 1st, 2nd or 3rd in an Open KC GWT or 1st in a Novice KC GWT.

Open: Open to all dogs, although preference will be given to those dogs that have gained an award in a field trial, been placed 1st, 2nd or 3rd in an Open KC GWT or won a Novice KC GWT.

Awards:

The FCRS Novice Salver and the Houndswood Novice Trophy to the winner of the Novice Test,
The FCRS Open Salver and the Houndswood Open Trophy to the winner of the Open Test.

Rosettes and Cards to 4th place

(Trophies may be held by FCRS members only). Trophies to be held for one year and to be returned, cleaned and engraved if appropriate, to the Flatcoated Retriever Society, two weeks before the same test next year.

Entries: Members of the FCRS £15.00/dog, Non-members £20.00/dog. Dogs must be registered with the Kennel Club

Entries Close: Sunday 18th May 2025 23.59 after which the draw will be made.

Entries may be made online, via the Field Trial Management System (preferred)

Or entry forms can be downloaded from the FCRS website <https://www.flatcoated-retriever-society.org/wp-content/uploads/2007/06/gwtarea.pdf>

Please use separate entry form for each dog.

Completed entry forms may be emailed to FCRS.WTSec@gmail.com or posted to
Sarah Young 13, Beadon Road, Bromley BR2 9AS

Please provide an email address (or enclose a SAE) for the result of the draw

Payment should be made by Bank Transfer Sort Code 20-20-65. A/C no. 70822329. A/C name
Flatcoated Retriever Society – give your name and the test date as reference; or

by PayPal fcrrshop@gmail.com (note the double 's' in the middle) - give your name and the test date as reference; or

by Cheque made payable to the Flatcoated Retriever Society and sent to:

Sarah Young, FCRS Working Test Secretary, 13, Beadon Road, Bromley, Kent. BR2 9AS

Please provide an email address (or enclose a SAE) for the result of the draw and directions.

If after sending an entry, you are unable to attend please let the FCRS Working Test Secretary know 0044 8464 3214 or mobile 0044 7730 267308 or email: FCRS.WTSec@gmail.com
(Withdrawals made after the closing date of entries may forfeit entry fees.)

Directions and contact numbers for use on the day will be provided with the running order.

NB: The Organisers, FCRS, the Land Owner or his Agent cannot be held responsible for any loss, damage or accidents that occur on the day however occasioned.

No dog that has contracted or been knowingly exposed to any infectious disease during the 21 days prior to the day of the Test, or that is visibly suffering from a condition that adversely affects its health or welfare, may be brought to the Test ground.

No bitches in season are permitted on the Test ground.